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PATENT EXAMINING OPERATION

In re Application of: § Atty Docket No.: PISA,015  
Madhavan PISHARODI §  
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Serial No.: 10/804,895 § Group Art Unit: 3774  
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**SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO  
OFFICIAL ACTION OF NOVEMBER 19, 2007**

Dear Sir:

Applicant makes the following Supplemental Response to the Official Action mailed in the captioned application on November 17, 2007 to make additional claim amendments in the captioned application that are responsive to the November 17, 2007 Action. This Supplemental Response is also being filed to make a record of certain matters discussed at the October 24, 2008 interview that are not mentioned on the PTOL-413 in accordance with MPEP §713.04.

This Supplemental Response is enclosed with a Request for Entry of an Extension of Time, Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and Response to Official Action of November 17, 2008 (*sic*, 2007). The Request for Entry is being filed after discovering that the Extension of Time, RCE, and Response were not part of the Office's record at the October 24, 2008 interview (*see* the enclosed Request for Entry). The claim amendments set out in the Response to Official Action of November 17, 2008 (*sic*, 2007) should be entered before entering the amendments in this Supplemental Response. In other words, the claims set out in this Supplemental Response are the claims amended by the Response to Official Action of November 17, 2008 (*sic*, 2007).

So far as is known, there is no fee for filing this Supplemental Response. However, in the event a fee is assessed, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0965 (PISA,015) in the amount of any necessary fee.